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Harry M. Coudrey for Congress. Election November 8, 1904



MR. AUGUST GISLER.

August Gisler, republican nominee for the legislature in the Third district, is well and favorably known in St. Louis, having lived in the Fourteenth ward for more than 30 years. He has been an active hard-working republican and a member of the Twelfth district congressional committee, representing the Fourteenth ward for the past eight years. He is entitled to the loyal support of all good citizens.

Republican Women Rally.

Last Saturday night a splendid meeting was held at K. of P. hall, under the auspices of the state committee, conducted by Mrs. Marie P. Williams, of Kansas City, Mo. Mrs. Williams spoke at some length, dwelling on national issues and state affairs. At the close of her able address The Palladium man spoke upon the state issues. Then several ladies spoke on the issues. Then one man spoke in favor of voting for the best man, let him be a democrat or a republican. The Palladium again rises with fire in his eyes. He speaks in plain terms and he thought of such a person. He dwelt upon the principles of the Republican party and stated that the Hon. C. P. Wallbridge represented those principles. He further stated that such men as the former speaker ought not to be tolerated.

Mrs. Williams then out spoke more plainly than did the Palladium man. At the conclusion of her remarks a club was formed of the ladies and put to work. When they were hunting for a name, that same man wanted the club named 'the Roosevelt club.' After much talking the Palladium man again arose and said the club ought to be named the Roosevelt-Wallbridge Club No. 2. The name was adopted without a dissenting vote. The best of fellowship prevailed. Mrs. Marie Williams, grand organizer, is doing a great work. We congratulate her.



A Grand Rally.

The rally last Thursday night, opening the campaign in the Twelfth district, was a grand success. Several speakers spoke at some length. Mr. Hiram Lloyd, chairman of the Twelfth congressional committee, made an able appeal for a fair vote and an honest count. Capt. C. H. Tandy made a grand speech.

Has Been Sick Some Time.

Miss Mary Merryman, of 2109 Walnut street, has been sick since June last. She was attending Sumner high school before she was taken sick. She is up again. "We hope for her early recovery."

August Gisler Republican Candidate for LEGISLATURE 3d DISTRICT.

Comprising Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 14, 15, 16, 22.
Election: Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1904.

THEY SAVED THE UNION.

President Roosevelt Lauds Valor of Afro-Americans.

The Negro Soldiers Have the Faculty of Coming to the Front When Most Needed.

In 1890, when Theodore Roosevelt was governor of New York, he was interviewed about the Afro-American soldier and this is what he said: "I know of the character and bravery of the Afro-American soldier. He saved my life at Santiago, and I have had occasion to say so in many articles and speeches. The Rough Riders were in a bad position when the Ninth and Tenth cavalry came rushing up the hill carrying everything before them."

"The Afro-American soldier has the faculty of coming to the front when he is needed most. In the civil war he came 200,000 strong, and I believe he saved the Union. He has done excellent work in all of the Indian campaigns, and while I was in the West, I had a number of opportunities of witnessing his wonderful work. He saved a massacre of the Seventh in 1890."

"At San Juan hill the Afro-American soldiers rendered an object lesson to all of the soldiers assembled there. They sang and fought and pushed the laggard troopers up the hill and the great victory at that point was theirs as much if not more than any of the soldiers there."

A Pleasant Affair.

On Friday, October 14, 1904, Mrs. William Chentam entertained The Patriarch Auxiliary club, at the residence of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Walker, 1237 Poplar street. The parlor and dining room were beautifully decorated, and all were welcomed by the hostess. Among the visitors were Miss R. J. Brown, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. Collins and son, San Francisco, Cal.; Mrs. L. Macklin, Chicago; Mrs. E. Walker, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Dr. S. W. Bradburn, Lawyer Brown, Little Rock, Ark.; Misses Moore, Messley, Diggs, Poston and Pleasant; Messrs. A. Baker, James Martin, Hart, Smith, William Span. The Patriarch came out in uniform. Mrs. William J. Floyd, president of the club, acted as mistress of ceremonies. All the refreshments of the season were served in abundance. The reception will long be remembered by the guests.

A Unique Attraction.

The Lyceum Sketch club will present Mr. John B. Vashon, in the title role of Matthews' musical comedy, "Miss Amandis," at Metropolitan church, Jefferson avenue and Morgan street, Thursday evening, November 10, for the benefit of the Colored Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Vashon enjoys quite an enviable reputation as a comedian and character actor among the lovers of the drama in this community. A strong cast will support him. A more complete notice will be given in next week's issue.

Notice! Notice!

J. W. Wheeler has been appointed to the St. John and St. Luke missions by our good bishop. We have worked up St. John's mission for the past four or five days, so much so that we will begin the Sunday school work next Sunday at 603 Red Bud avenue, at 2 o'clock p. m. We most earnestly ask the friends to help us in this work. Six years ago we had one of the best schools, and we hope to be of some service to the good people of North St. Louis.

On a Visit to Friends.

Miss Mattie Hicks, of Stewgen, Mo., has been visiting friends in St. Louis, and taking in the fair. She stopped at Mrs. Ophelia Morgan's, 2646 Randolph street. She was under the protection of her two brothers. Miss Hicks is the belle of Stewgen. Many of our St. Louis girls look upon this country lass with envious eyes. She left last Monday for her little country home, Stewgen, Mo.

We Will Go.

Yes, there is a new club of strong and good women that will give a nice affair at Stolla's hall, Monday, October 31. They are all veiled, and they will be seen that night. Don't fail to see them. One hundred young ladies will be on hand. Which is which, and who is who?



A. W. WASHINGTON.

Mr. A. W. Washington is one of our best writers of songs and he is making a mark. What a man's life he makes it. The white press of St. Louis accords that to him. We shall have more to say about this most wonderful man—Mr. A. W. Washington.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The article which Mr. A. W. Washington promised to write on the Race Question will appear in a few weeks, and will be a stunner.

Fine lectures are given in the B. Y. P. U. every Sunday evening at 5 o'clock. Come out, friends, and join us. Charles Bollinger, president.

Mrs. S. P. Phillips, of 1504 Clark avenue, will return from Memphis, Tenn., where she has been for two weeks with her husband, on the first of next week.

Mr. C. H. Ellis, of Atlanta, Ga., is in the city on a visit to his brother, and a worthy townsman, Mr. A. P. Brown. He will remain here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hughes, of Charlottesville, Mo., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Elgin, of 1539 Gratiot. They were at the fair, and, of course, took in the show.

Prof. J. Arthur Freeman, the noted educator and principal of our city schools, and one of the best musicians in the city, has built up the most noble choir at the First Baptist church there is in the city.

The B. Y. P. U. met at 5 o'clock p. m. as usual at the First Baptist church, and executed a fine programme, the Bible reading and discussion being first, after which the literary part was taken up.

Dr. E. C. Cole preached two excellent sermons at the First Baptist church last Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the night service the church was crowded to hear the precious words that fell from that noted gentleman's lips.

The celebration of the dedication of the First Baptist church will take place on November 2, which promises to be one of the grandest meetings in the history of said church. Dr. E. C. Cole has invited some of his friends from all parts of the country to participate, hence a grand and glorious meeting is anticipated. The public is cordially invited.

Friday night, October 7, was the thirty-eighth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. Geo. W. West and wife, of 1732 South Second street. The occasion was a most pleasant one, in that their many friends gave them a grand surprise. Some brought cake, ice cream and many other good things, but the best of all was a fine Morocco chair, very handsomely made, which cost about \$25. The feast lasted until a late hour, and the good old people were made happy, and they said they would remain so the balance of their lives.

Dr. Wesley, a noted physician of Chicago, Ill., who was appointed by Gov. J. H. Yates of said state as a representative to the military convention (whites), which was held here last week, in which he was the only Negro in that convention, was highly entertained by Doctors J. W. Scott and McDonald last Sunday night at the Newport hotel. They gave the doctor a royal reception.

The Fourteenth ward Republicans will meet Saturday night, at Oriental hall, Jefferson avenue and Adams street, at 8 o'clock. Every voter should attend this meeting that wishes success of the Republican party.

A Grand Banquet.

Last Saturday night at Odd Fellows hall, at Twenty-seventh and Franklin avenue, a banquet was given to Edward S. Lewis, grand master of Missouri, and A. D. Jones, grand secretary of California.

The spacious auditorium was decorated with ferns and roses. Supper was served in eight courses by Dorris and Zeller, with Col. Nelson Barbee in charge. The following named gentlemen were present:

J. D. Buchanan, Edward T. Brown, Henry McKenzie, Jefferson Porter, J. B. Perryman, Joseph Farrell, Joshua Nicholls, Matthew Bollinger, of Kansas City; J. W. Allen, R. D. Brown, of New York; Wilson Robinson, P. H. Pleasant, of Hot Springs, Ark.; W. L. Cox, Alex. Buckner, W. B. Hurt, Geo. W. Lytle, J. M. H. Dorsey, W. B. Williams, D. W. Holland, D. F. Wells, W. T. Wilder, Walker Carroll, Arthur Scott, Anderson Russell, Frank Boyd, John Robinson, Augustus Turner, Augustus Phoenix.

At 11 o'clock supper was finished, and each gentleman present was called on for an after-dinner speech. George E. Temple, deputy grand master of the order, acted as toast master.

MR. V. L. WALKER.

He Can Not Be Surpassed in Designing and Paperhanging.

Messrs. Lowery and Mason, proprietors of the Newport Cafe, have secured the services of Mr. V. L. Walker to decorate the walls of their restaurant.

It is needless to say that the cafe, as it was, was one of the most well-thought-of and attractive our city has ever had, but since its recent decoration by Mr. Walker it has been rendered doubly so.

The harmony of color and the blending of the figures is so fascinating that one forgets his hunger in the admiration of the decorated walls.

Mr. Walker is perfect in the art of decorating. His artistic taste displays itself in his work.

It requires more than ordinary taste to decide just what decoration is suitable to a cafe on the Newport's order, and Mr. Walker has certainly proven himself an adept in the art.

His place of business is at 2635 Lawton avenue.

HOT SHOTS.

Let Us Be Manly.

The state and city committees are making a thorough canvass. We hope for success.

The national committee is at fault in some instances. Why will they have some men canvassing the state of Missouri for the next president, Theodore Roosevelt, and they will not say one word for the state ticket. This is wrong.

We call for men who can support the principles of the Republican party.

FOR RENT.

Three fine unfurnished rooms. Bath and water license free. Apply at 1512 Papin street, or to Jas. W. Grant, 510 Pine street.

Pickett's Headache Powders give instant relief. 2601 Lawton avenue.

CITY NEWS.

Notes and News Concerning Our People—Weekly Record of Notable Events, Deaths, Marriages and Births—Written Especially for St. Louis Palladium.

Don't fail to work and vote for Hon. Harry M. Coudrey for congress.

Mrs. May Davis has been visiting friends in Quincy, Ill. She was well pleased with her visit.

Rev. B. P. Gates and Rev. Harris are stopping at 1558 Gratiot street, with Mrs. Sawyer and daughter.

Mr. Hugh B. White, a strong supporter of Booker T. Washington, and really all the young men of the race is with him.

Mr. A. J. Smith, of 1315 Clark avenue, is spending a few weeks at Hot Springs. We hope that he will soon be himself again.

Rev. B. P. E. Gayles and Rev. A. L. Harris are guests of Mrs. L. H. Sawyer and family. Two of the most prominent members of Evanston and Chicago, Ill., are in the city visiting the fair.

Republican candidates for judges of the circuit court: Wm. M. Kinsey, Daniel D. Fisher, Matthew G. Reynolds, Wm. Zachritz, James E. Withrow. Election, Tuesday, November 8, 1904.

We have known Mr. August Gisler for the past ten years in politics and otherwise and a more up-right man we never met. The citizens of the Third district will do well to elect him to the legislature, as Cyrus P. Wallbridge will want men that will act with him when he goes to Jefferson City as governor.

The wife of Mr. W. C. Gordon died last Saturday, after a painful illness of many months, and was buried from St. Paul's church last Monday. We deeply sympathize with Mr. Gordon in his great loss, as he is now prospering in business. Now is the time he needs a wife most. Yet our God knows what is best.

Mrs. Ophelia Morgan, of 2646 Randolph street, will soon leave for Chicago, Ill., to make her future home. We wish her well. Many of our friends have left this city for the Windy city, but most of them have returned to old St. Louis. Mrs. W. B. Williams, formerly of our city, is also in Chicago at present. She is looking well.

Rev. D. H. Harris, pastor of Shiloh Baptist church, and Rev. William Gray, both of Chicago, Ill., paid a visit to this city and were the guests of Rev. S. P. Anderson and wife, 2320 Morgan street. Rev. Gray preached at Antioch Baptist church, Sunday, the 16th, at 11 a. m., and Rev. Harris preached at the same place at 7:45 p. m. Rev. Harris left the city Monday morning for home by way of Macon, Mo. Rev. Gray is still in the city and will be until next week.

The St. Louis Palladium, quite an up-to-date journal published weekly by the fearless editor, J. W. Wheeler, and the Defender of Scranton, Pa., a weekly journal devoted to the defense of human rights and to the educational, industrial, moral, religious, political and general development of the masses. Both are advocating the success of the grand old Republican party. They are on our exchange list with the Banner, which is also Republican from start to finish.—Exchange.

204-206 N. FOURTEENTH STREET.

Sam, the Tailor, 204-206 North Fourteenth street, has enlarged his place. He is the leading tailor in St. Louis. Next week we will give full particulars of his store.

Mr. John Sneed Will Help.

We were speaking about securing some good place to rent for a Sunday school where we will soon have a church. Mr. John Sneed says, "I am with you and you can depend on me for a part of the rent." Thanks. Who will be the next one to give their aid to us, St. John's Mission.

Mr. Alzaman Ira Lucas.

For this gentleman we could sit for hours and hear him talk of the wonderful things in store for mankind, if we would only believe in the Truth, as it is in Christ Jesus. He lectured at the Y. M. C. A. last Sunday, also at Centennial church last Wednesday. He is far ahead of most men, as he speaks and believes in the Truth as it is. Would to God that we had more such as Lucas.

The Campaign is Waxing Warm.

Not since the campaign of 1896 has the state been so worked up. When Chauncey L. Filley was chairman of the state committee, Mr. Thomas K. Niedringhaus learned politics from that gentleman, and he now goes forth with that knowledge and his own to the work in hand, and he is making Rome howl every week. If Mr. Wallbridge is not elected it will not be the fault of the chairman of the state committee.

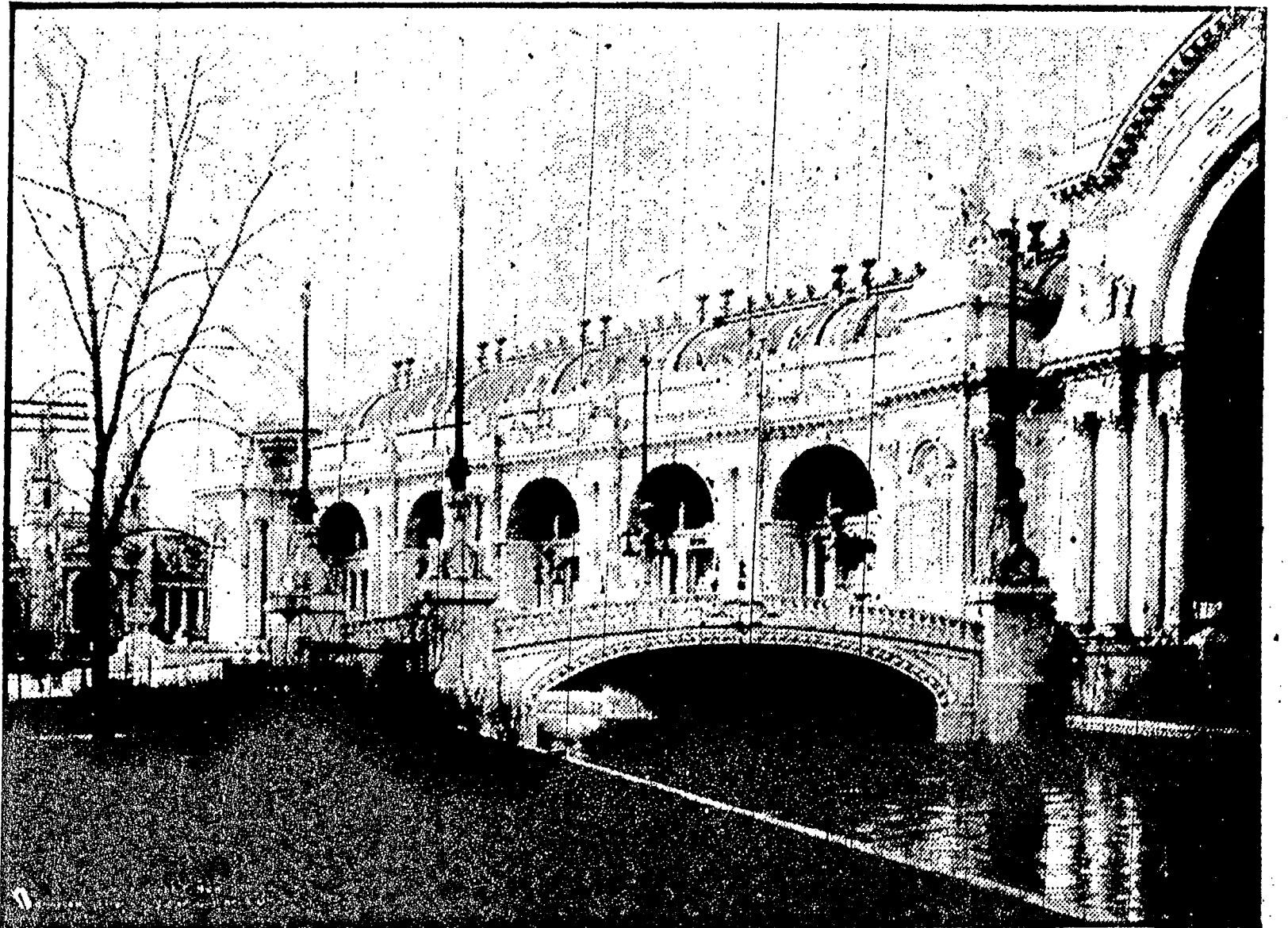
A Splendid Reception.

Mrs. T. Hawkins, of Bloomington, Ill., Mrs. Marie Reno and Mrs. Cullie Fields, of Jefferson City, Mo., and Mrs. Fields, of 2713 Wash street, were entertained by Mrs. W. A. Long, of 815 Lucas avenue, between two and four o'clock, October 8. It was a grand affair and those present will long remember the pleasant time they had, as Mrs. W. A. Long thoroughly understands how to entertain strangers as they might entertain angels.

HENRY CLAY.

A Great Picture of Henry Clay Speaking on the Missouri Compromise.

J. W. Wheeler, the ex-politician, has just received an oil painting of the United States senator as Henry Clay made his famous speech on the Missouri compromise in 1850. This painting is the work of Prof. H. W. Sexton, of 3505 Lawton avenue. The picture has been classed at first grade, valued at \$100. We invite you to come to the Palladium and examine this great picture.



MANUFACTURERS' BUILDING, WORLD'S FAIR.